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In re Application of: Wiener et al.

Art Unit: 3763

Application No. 09/700,999

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For: METHOD FOR PRESSURE MEDIATED
SELECTIVE DELIVERY OF THERAPEUTIC
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

On page 1 after the title, please insert the following paragraph:

--PRIORITY CLAIM

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This is a § 371 U.S. national stage of PCT/US99/11277 filed May 21, 1999, which was published in English under PCT Article 21(2), which in turn claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/086,565 filed May 21, 1998 and Provisional Application No. 60/087,099 filed May 28, 1998.--

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is submitted to recite the priority claim from corresponding International Application No. PCT/US99/11277 filed May 21, 1999, which claims the benefit of

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